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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

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It is believed that this disclosure complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, § 1.97, and § 1.98 and the Manual of Patent Examining Procedures § 707.05(b). If for some reason the Examiner considers otherwise, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned be telephoned so that any deficiencies can be remedied.

This Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before the mailing of an Office Action on the merits on the above-identified application. Therefore, no fee is due for submission of this Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If an Office Action on the merits has been mailed on the above-identified patent application, the undersigned hereby certifies that no item of information contained in this Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, or, to the knowledge of the undersigned after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the submission of this Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. This is the statement required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1) and § 1.97(c)(1). Accordingly, no fee is due for this Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

A copy of each document is enclosed. Some of the documents may have markings thereon. No significance is meant to be attached to the markings. These documents are not necessarily analogous art. Additionally, the order of the following documents is to be accorded no particular import as the order thereof is completely fortuitous.

- U.S. Patent No. 4,478,853 to Chaussee et al., issued on October 23, 1984.
- U.S. Patent No. 4,507,279 to Okuyama et al., issued on March 26, 1985.
- U.S. Patent No. 5,709,847 to Bissett et al., issued on January 20, 1998.

U.S. Patent No. 5,849,310 to Trinh et al., issued on December 15, 1998.

U.S. Patent No. 5,968,528 to Deckner et al., issued on October 15, 1999.

U.S. Patent No. 6,001,377 to SaNogueira, Jr. et al., issued on December 14, 1999.

U.S. Patent No. 6,086,903 to Trinh et al., issued on July 11, 2000, on an application filed on February 26, 1996.

U.S. Patent No. 6,174,533 to SaNogueira, Jr. et al., issued on January 16, 2001, on an application filed on April 17, 1998.

U.S. Patent No. 6,306,915 to Murata, issued on October 23, 2001, on an application filed on August 9, 1999.

U.S. Patent No. 6,337,065 to Jacobson et al., issued on January 8, 2002, on an application filed on December 1, 1999.

Respectfully submitted,

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